FISCAL NOTE

SB 2512 - HB 2659

February 11, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the Registry of Election Finance to place campaign financial disclosure reports filed by candidates for governor, members of the general assembly, Tennessee supreme court and delegates to a state constitutional convention on the state internet page.

Present law requires persons desiring to inspect candidates' campaign disclosure reports to physically appear at the Registry of Election Finance office, present a driver's license, provide name, home phone number, business telephone number and the name of the person on whose behalf the reports are being inspected. The Registry must then notify each candidate of the inspection, along with the information provided by the inspector.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$53,200 Recurring \$44,700 One-Time

	Expenditures	
	<u>Recurring</u>	Non-Recur.
Personnel Requirements		
System Operator (Salary & Benefits)	\$39,000	\$
Supplies, Travel, Training &	5,000	
Communications		
System Development Costs		
WAN Access, WAN PC Access & PC Maint.	9,200	
Development of System, Equipment &		
Training		44,700
TOTAL	<u>\$53,200</u>	<u>\$44,700</u>

Assumes the Registry will continue to accept disclosure reports on hard copy form and then scan the reports into the computer system to post on the Internet.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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James A. Davenport, Executive Director